

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of:
Douglas P. Cerretti

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For: DNA THAT ENCODES FOR A CYTOKINE
DESIGNATED LERK-6 (as amended)

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

The Applicant respectfully requests that the time for filing a response to the Office Action dated March 10, 1997, be extended for a period of two months, up to and including August 10, 1997.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the required fee of \$390 and any other fee occasioned by this response to Deposit Account No. 09-0089. A copy of this Petition is provided for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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